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Weſtminſter, December 7.

THIS Day His Majeſty came to the Houſe of Peers, and being in His Royal Robes ſeated on the Throne with the uſual Solemnity, Sir Francis Molyneux, Knt. Gentleman Uſher of the Black Rod, was ſent with a Meſſage from His Majeſty to the Houſe of Commons, commanding their Attendance in the Houſe of Peers. The Commons being come thither accordingly, His Majeſty was pleaſed to give the Royal Aſſent to

An Act to continue and amend an Act, made in the laſt Seſſion of Parliament, to prohibit, for a limited Time, the Exportation of Corn, Grain, Meal, Malt, Flour, Bread, Biſcuit, and Starch, and alſo the Extraction of Low Wines and Spirits from Wheat and Wheat Flour.

An Act to continue ſeveral Acts, made in the laſt Seſſion of Parliament, for allowing the Importation of Wheat, Wheat Flour, Barley, Barley Meal, Pulſe, Oats, Oat Meal, Rye, and Rye Meal, Duty free; and alſo ſo much of an Act, made in the ſame Seſſion, as relates to the free Importation of Rice from His Majeſty's Colonies in North America; and to allow the Importation of Wheat and Wheat Flour, from Africa, for a limited Time, free of Duty.

War-Office, December 5.

8th Regiment of Foot, Philip Roſenhagen, Chaplain to the Garriſon of Penſacola, is appointed to be Chaplain, in the Room of Nathaniel Cotton, who exchanges.

54th Regiment of Foot, John Harriſon, Gent. to be Enſign, vice ——— Henderſon, deceaſed.

60th Regiment of Foot, Lieutenant George Demler, from Half-Pay, to be Lieutenant, vice Stair Campbell Carre, deceaſed.

Ditto, Lieutenant Francis Phiſter, from Half-Pay, to be Lieutenant, vice Lewis de Meſtrall, who exchanges.

Ditto, Lieutenant James Hughes, from Half-Pay, to be Lieutenant, vice Auguſtine Prevoſt, who exchanges.

Garriſon of Penſacola, Chaplain Nathaniel Cotton, of the 8th Regiment of Foot, to be Chaplain, vice Philip Roſenhagen, who exchanges.

Dublin, December 1.

Yeſterday being the Anniverſary of the Birth of her Royal Highneſs the Princeſs Dowager of Wales, in the Morning the Flag was hoiſted on Birmingham Tower; at Noon there was a numerous and ſplendid Appearance of the Nobility and other Perſons of Diſtinction at the Caſtle, to compliment his Excellency the Lord Lieutenant on the Occaſion; and the Great Guns in His Majeſty's Park the Phœnix were fired three Rounds, and anſwered by Vollies from the Regiments in Garriſon, which were drawn out in the Royal Square at the Barracks: In the Evening there was a Play given by his Excellency, for the Entertainment of the Ladies; and a Ball at the Caſtle; and the Night concluded with Bonfires, Illuminations, and all other Demonſtrations of Joy.

Admiralty Office, December 5, 1767.

PUrſuant to an Act of Parliament paſſed in the Twenty-Sixth Year of His late Majeſty's Reign, this is to give Notice to the Concerned, that Information has been ſent to this Office, That on the 10th of laſt Month, the Brigantine Friendſhip, of Philadelphia, whereof George Gilbert was Maſter, bound to Briſtol, laden with Pig Iron, Lumber, Rum, Deer-Skins, Turpentine, &c. was ſtranded on the Sands near Whiteford Burrows in the Port of Swanſea in Glamorganſhire.

Ph. Stephens.

East-India Houſe, November 18, 1767.

The Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the Eaſt Indies do hereby give Notice, That a Quarterly General Court of the ſaid Company will be held at their Houſe in Leadenhall-Street, on Wedneſday the 23d of December next, at Eleven o'Clock in the Forenoon.

That the Transfer Books of the ſaid Company's Stock will be ſhut on Thurſday the 3d Day of December next, at Two o'Clock, and opened again on Thurſday the 7th of January following.

And that the Dividend Warrants on the ſaid Stock, due the 5th Day of January next, will be ready to be delivered on Wedneſday the 3d Day of February following.

East-India Houſe, December 4, 1767.

The Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the Eaſt Indies, do hereby give Notice,

That the Quarterly General Court of the ſaid Company (advertiſed as above) to be held at their Houſe in Leadenhall-ſtreet on Wedneſday the 23d Inſtant, at Eleven in the Forenoon, is to be on ſpecial Affairs.

Royal

Royal Hoſpital for Seamen at Greenwich, September 26, 1767.

The Commiſſioners of this Hoſpital do hereby give Notice, That at Salters Hall in London, on Wedneſday the 3d Day of April, 1768, or as ſoon after as may be, the Colliery *and* Limeſtone Quarries *and* Sale Kilns, *ſituate at* Scremerſton *in the County of* Durham, *now in the Poſſeſſion of John Romer, Eſq; will be let on Leaſe for Twenty-one Years or under, to commence upon the 12th Day of May 1768. Such Perſons as may be willing to take the ſaid Eſtates, are deſired to ſend their Propoſals in Writing, on or before the 1ſt Day of April, 1768, to* Mr. Ibbetſon, *at the Admiralty-Office, London; or, on or before the 30th Day of March, 1768, to Meſſ.* Walton and Smeaton, *at Farnacres near Newcaſtle upon Tyne.*

N. B. The ſaid Commiſſioners reſerve the Lime-kiln near the Sea, and that built by the late Mr. Ancrum; as alſo Liberty for their Tenants of Scremerſton to get ſuch Limeſtones as ſhall be neceſſary for their reſpective Farms, to be uſed either in the Improvement thereof, or in making or repairing any Kind of Buildings or Erections whatſoever.

Jn° Ibbetſon.

Victualling-Office, December 5, 1767.

The Commiſſioners for Victualling His Majeſty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that on Monday the 14th Inſtant, they will be ready to receive Tenders in Writing, (ſealed up) and treat for Four Hundred Oxen for Sea Stores for the Port of London; and that none of the Oxen for the ſaid Port are to weigh leſs than Seven Hundred Weight each.

All Perſons who may think proper to make Tenders upon the ſaid Occaſion, are deſired to take Notice, that no Regard will be had to any Tender that ſhall not be delivered to the Board before One o'Clock on the ſaid 14th Inſtant.

Victualling-Office, December 7, 1767.

The Commiſſioners for Victualling His Majeſty's Navy do hereby give Notice, that on Monday the 11th of January 1768, they will be ready to receive Tenders in Writing, (ſealed up) and treat with ſuch Perſons as may be inclinable to undertake to deliver One Thouſand Tierces of Iriſh Pork into His Majeſty's Stores at London, Six Hundred and Seventy Tierces into His Majeſty's Stores at Portſmouth, and Six Hundred and Seventy Tierces into His Majeſty's Stores at Plymouth. And all Perſons who may think proper to make Tenders upon the ſaid Occaſion are deſired to take Notice, that no Regard will be had to any Tender that ſhall not be delivered to the Board before One o'Clock on the ſaid 11th of January next.

The Conditions of the Contracts may be ſeen at the Secretary's Office at the Victualling-Office, London, or by applying to His Majeſty's Poſtmaſter General at Dublin, or to the Collector of His Majeſty's Cuſtoms at Corke.

RIVER LEE.

Notice is hereby given, that a Meeting of the Truſtees for the River Lee, will be held by Adjournment at the Roſe and Crown Inn at Enfield Highway in the Pariſh of Enfield in the County of Middleſex, on Saturday the 12th Day of December inſtant, at Eleven in the Forenoon; at which Meeting the ſaid Truſtees will take into Conſideration the making a new navigable Cut from the River Lee, near Bromley Mills, into the River Thames at or near Limehouſe Bridge Dock, and the Report of Mr. Thomas Yeoman concerning the ſame.

Hen. Thorowgood, *Clerk to the ſaid Truſtees.*

Cuſtom-Houſe, London.

FOR SALE,

By Order of the Honourable Commiſſioners of His Majeſty's Cuſtoms, &c. (in Purſuance of an Act of Parliament made in the Third Year of His preſent Majeſty) on Tueſday the 15th, Wedneſday the 16th, and Thurſday the 17th of December, 1767, at Three of the Clock in the Afternoons of the ſaid Days, will be put up to Sale in the Long Room in the Cuſtom-Houſe, London, the following Goods.

For Home Conſumption,

Brandy, Rum, Geneva, Arrack, Cordial Water, Hungary Water, Raw and Roaſted Coffee, Wool and Worſted Yarn, Refuſed Wines, to be diſtilled into Brandy, or made into Vinegar.

Alſo ſuch Goods as have remained in His Majeſty's Warehouſes upwards of Six Months, not cleared or the Duties paid, viz.

Pictures, Paper Prints, Books, broken Glaſs, French Beads, Engliſh Ribbons, old Pewter, Wine, Spruce Beer, Grocery, dryed Plumbs, Ships Sails, and ſundry Sorts of other Goods and Merchandizes, as mentioned in the Catalogue.

For Exportation,

Sundry Parcels of Bohea and Green Teas.

Clear of all Duties.

The Goods to be ſeen or taſted at the King's Warehouſe, Cuſtom-houſe, London, on Friday the 11th, Saturday the 12th, and Monday the 14th of December Inſtant, from Nine of the Clock in the Mornings till One, and in the Mornings before the Sale; where Catalogues will be delivered.

South Sea Houſe, December 3, 1767.

The Court of Directors of the South Sea Company give Notice, That the Transfer Books of New South Sea Annuities will be ſhut on Tueſday the 22d Inſtant, at Two o'Clock, and opened on Tueſday the 26th of January next.

That the Transfer Books of 3 per Cent. Annuities 1751, will be ſhut on Thurſday the 17th Inſtant, at Two o'Clock, and opened on Tueſday the 12th of January next.

That the Transfer Books of the Capital Stock will be ſhut on Wedneſday the 23d Inſtant, at Two o'Clock, and opened on Wedneſday the 27th of January next.

And that the Warrants for the Half-Year's Dividend on the Capital Stock, and the Half-Year's Intereſt on the New South Sea Annuities, both due the 5th of January next, will be paid on Tueſday the 9th and Wedneſday the 10th of February following; on which Days of Payment the Transfer Books of the New South Sea Annuities and South Sea Stock will be ſhut.

Royal Exchange Aſſurance Office, London, December 2, 1767.

The Court of Directors of the Royal Exchange Aſſurance Company do hereby give Notice, that their Transfer Books will be ſhut from Tueſday the 15th Inſtant to Thurſday the 7th of January next; and that the Annual General Court, appointed by their Charter, will be held at their Office on the Royal Exchange, on Wedneſday the 23d of December inſtant, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon; and that a Dividend will be conſidered of at the ſaid Court.

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of Arthur Woolley, late of Sapperton in the County of Derby, Eſq; deceaſed, are to come in and prove their Debts before Samuel Pechell, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn in Chancery-Lane, London,

Purſuant

PUrſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, the Creditors of Ezekiel Sherman, late of Kerſey in the County of Suffolk, Gentleman, deceaſed, are to come and prove their Debts before William Graves, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Chambers in Symond's Inn Chancery-Lane, London, on or before the 23d Day of January next, or in Default thereof they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Decree.

TO be peremptorily ſold, purſuant to a Decree of the High Court of Chancery, before Thomas Lane, Eſq; one of the Maſters of the ſaid Court, at his Office in Carey-Street near Lincoln's Inn, London, on Monday the 17th Day of February, 1768, between the Hours of Five and Seven o'Clock in the Afternoon, A Freehold Eſtate, ſituate in Barkiſland in the Weſt Riding of the County of York, about Five computed Miles from the ſeveral Market Towns of Halifax and Huddersfield in the ſame County, with a large Manſion-Houſe thereon, and an extenſive Right of Commoning, and let to ſeveral Tenants at the yearly Rent in the Whole of 48l. 16s. 2d. Part of the Eſtate of Peter Bold, late of Bold Hall in the County of Lancaſter, Eſq; deceaſed.

N. B. Great Part of the ſaid Eſtate is Tythe free, and for the Reſt ſmall Annual Payments are made in Lieu of Tythe, and the Whole is let clear of Land-Tax and all other Taxes whatſoever. Several of the Farms are held at Will, and the Remainder for Years at Rack-Rents, and all are capable of being much advanced and improved, Lime being to be had at a ſmall Expence by the Calder Navigation. The Buildings are of Stone and Slate, and it is apprehended Slate may be gotten on the Eſtate.

Further Particulars may be had at the ſaid Maſter's Office in Carey-Street aforeſaid.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt William Lockerbie, of Baſingſtoke in the County of Southampton, Linnen-draper, Dealer and Chapman, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 16th and 21ſt Days of December inſtant, and on the 19th Day of January next, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, on each of the ſaid Days, at Guildhall, London, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chuſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Woodeſon, Attorney, in Dove-Court Lombard-Street, London.

WHereas a Commiſſion of Bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Samuel Ratcliffe, late of the Pariſh of All Saints in Derby in the County of Derby, Hoſier, and he being declared a Bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the Commiſſioners in the ſaid Commiſſion named, or the major Part of them, on the 29th and 30th Days of December inſtant, and on the 19th Day of January next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, on each of the ſaid Days, at the George Inn in Derby aforeſaid, and make a full Diſcovery and Diſcloſure of his Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors are to come prepared to prove their Debts, and at the Second Sitting to chooſe Aſſignees, and at the laſt Sitting the ſaid Bankrupt is required to finiſh his Examination, and the Creditors are to aſſent to or diſſent from the Allowance of his Certificate. All Perſons indebted to the ſaid Bankrupt, or that have any of his Effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the Commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give Notice to Mr. Robert Bertles, in Derby aforeſaid.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt Thomas Bay, of Narrow-Street Ratcliff in the Pariſh of St. Ann Limehouſe in the County of Middleſex, Cabinet-maker, intend to meet on the 16th Day of January next, at Six o'Clock in the Evening, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend.

THE Commiſſioners in a renewed Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt George Hutton, of Cornhill, London, Woollen-draper, intend to meet on the 22d Day of January next, at Ten of the Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Final Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend. And all Perſons, who have made any Claims, are to come and prove the ſame, or they will be diſallowed.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt Thomas Hillman, of Snow-Hill, London, Linnen-draper, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 29th of December inſtant, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Final Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend. And all Perſons, who have made any Claims, are to come and prove the ſame, or they will be diſallowed.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt John Taylor, of Broad-Street Ratcliffe in the County of Middleſex, Upholſterer and Broker, intend to meet on the 5th Day of January next, at Five of the Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend. And all Perſons, who have made any Claims, are to come and prove the ſame, or they will be diſallowed.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt James Stephenſon, late of Liverpool in the County of Lancaſter, Druggiſt, Dealer and Chapman, intend to meet on the 30th Day of December inſtant, at Ten o'Clock in the Forenoon, at the Houſe of Thomas Moncas, known by the Name of Pontack's Coffee-houſe in Water-Street in Liverpool aforeſaid, in order to make a Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend. And all Perſons, who have made any Claims, are to come and prove the ſame, or they will be diſallowed.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt Job Cureton Margetts, of the Borough of Warwick in the County of Warwick, Tanner, intend to meet on the 7th Day of January next, at Eleven of the Clock in the Forenoon, at the Houſe of Samuel Thomas, known by the Name or Sign of the White Bear in the City of Coventry, in order to make a Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend. And all Perſons, who have made any Claims, are to come and prove the ſame, or they will be diſallowed.

THE Commiſſioners in a Commiſſion of Bankrupt awarded and iſſued forth againſt Francis Evatt, of Compton-Street in the Pariſh of St. Ann's Soho in the County of Middleſex, Upholder, intend to meet on the 2d Day of January next, at Four o'Clock in the Afternoon, at Guildhall, London, in order to make a Dividend of the ſaid Bankrupt's Eſtate and Effects; when and where the Creditors, who have not already proved their Debts, are to come prepared to prove the ſame, or they will be excluded the Benefit of the ſaid Dividend.

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